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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Examiner's communication and Interview Summary (mailed December 28, 2005) were received by Applicant after Applicant's formal response of January 3.

Applicant believes the response of January 3, 2006, complies with the Examiner's requirement for a statement of the substance of the Interview of December 23, 2005 (see page 7 of the January 3, 2006 response). However, if the Examiner believes anything further is required in connection with the Interview, it is respectfully requested that Applicant be so notified in the next Office Action.

CONCLUSION

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

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